

PREMIUM LIST

Department L – Flowers and Plants “Amateur Only”

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FOR THIS DEPARTMENT ONLY

Entries For Flowers must be postmarked before Midnight, **Saturday, July 29th**

Entries can be made in person and will be taken in the Administration Bldg. on the fairgrounds which will be open on Saturday July 29th 9:00 am & 5:00 pm **ONLY**.

Entry Fee \$.50 cents Per Entry – Only one per premium number

Administration Fee \$1.00 Per Exhibitor, if entered in more than 1 Home Ec. Dept. will only be charged \$1.00 Total

Entries will be Judged Tuesday. Judges decisions are final.

Premiums Offered – \$1,406.00

Flowers and plants must be brought in on Sunday, August 6th from 1:00 to 5:00 pm or Monday August 7th from 1:00 to 7:30 pm

LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Premium checks and exhibits can be picked up in department on Sunday, starting at 3:00 pm until 6:00 pm for both checks and exhibits.

Exhibitor tickets must be purchased at the time entries are made. If not purchased, exhibitor will have to pay a gate fee on Sunday to come in and pick up your check and your entries, otherwise the building will be opened by the secretary on Monday, August 14th from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm ONLY.

Flowers and plants to be grown by exhibitor or collected in the wild. NO STORE BOUGHT CUT FLOWERS ALLOWED. AMATEUR DIVISION – OPEN ONLY TO THOSE WHO DERIVE **NO** INCOME FROM THEIR FLOWERS & PLANTS. Judged 75% for perfection of bloom and 25% for arrangement and suitability of container.

Exhibitor must furnish proper containers; containers for all materials must hold water. No double entries will be allowed. Diseased or inferior plants and flowers cannot qualify for premiums.

Exhibitor and/or Superintendent may replace or remove any wilted stems after judging. Exhibitor will water his or her flowers.

We are not responsible for Broken or Damaged Vases or Containers. Points Award see page 58.

Premium Number	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
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JUST CUT FLOWERS – NO ARRANGEMENTS

2060. Ageratum (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2061. Allium (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2062. Angelonia (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2063. Black-eyed Susan (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2064. Calendula (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2065. Calibrachoa, any variety (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2066. Celosia (Cockscomb or Crested) (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2067. Celosia (Flare or Plume) (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2068. Coleus (3) stems, 1 color	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2069. Cleome, (1) stem, any color	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2070. Cone Flowers (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2071. Cone Flowers, Hybrid (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2072. Cosmos (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2073. Dahlias (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2074. Delphinium, Best spike in a vase (1) stem.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2075. Gerbera Daisy (3) stems, 1 color	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2076. Globe Amaranth, one variety & color (3) stems..	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2077. Hibiscus (1) stem, Perennial	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2078. Hollyhock (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2079. Hydrangea, Cone (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2080. Hydrangea, Round (3) stems	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2081. Lilies, Asiatic (3) stems, no size limit	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2082. Lilies, Resurrection (1) stem	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2083. Lisianthus (3) stems, 1 color	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1

JUDGING CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES FOR ENTRIES

- Entries must meet the requirements to be considered for premiums, (i.e. number of blooms or stems, type or size of flower). All entries are judged on overall presentation, quality of specimens and arrangement technique.
- Choose a container to best fit your entry. All entries of cut flowers and leaves need a clear, freestanding container that can hold water.
- All entries should be free of dirt and bugs. Damaged leaves, blooms, and buds should be removed.
- Cut flowers and foliage should be conditioned by cutting the night before and placing in water overnight.
- No leaves should be below the container rim. Remove all leaves below the water line. Stems should reach below the waterline. Use wedging to raise flower specimen up out of vase if needed.
- Include name of species on entry tag if not already listed.
- Generally, one third of the florets on a flower spike, like gladiola, should be open, one third show color, and one third should still be green.
- Flowers should be at their ideal stage of development. Flowers and foliage should be firm or crisp, with no evidence of wilting, curling or fading.
- An arrangement should be artistic design of fresh-cut or dried materials arranged in an appropriate container. Foliage is permitted. Accessories are permitted in specific arrangements only. Foliage and flowers in an arrangement should be arranged so NO foam, wiring, taping or other materials used to hold stems is visible. The arrangement's backside should be finished with foliage.
- Potted plants should be free of insects and include containers to catch drainage water.

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2084. Marigolds, one variety & color (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2131. "Winter Wind" Arrangement expressing motion using grasses and dried material.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2085. Marigolds, mixed (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2132. Miniature Arrangement of Cut Flowers (not exceeding 4 inches in height).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2086. Nasturtiums (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2133. "Rhythm of the Pines" Arrangement of evergreens with a minimum of flowers.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2087. Petunias, Single one variety & color (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2134. "White Elephant" Arrangement in an unusual or used container (not to exceed 18" high and 12" wide).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2088. Petunias, mixed (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2135. "Christmas Around the World" Arrangement of fresh materials, depicting other countries or cultures.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2089. Petunias, Double (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2136. "Super Bowl Sunday" Arrangement for a Super Bowl party using football related vase and accessories.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2090. Phlox, Perennial (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2137. "Winter Solstice" Arrangement using candles, greens and yellow flowers.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2091. Roses Hybrid Tea (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2138. "Here Comes Santa Claus" Arrangement using Santa figurine or vase.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2092. Roses, Knockout (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2139. Christmas Arrangement of flowers by boy or girl under 12 years of age.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2093. Salvia, Red (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2140. Christmas Arrangement of flowers by boy or girl 13-21 years of age.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2094. Salvia, Blue (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	ARRANGEMENTS				
2095. Snapdragons (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2113. "Beauty in the Rough" Arrangement of wayside material, any combination, not over 24" high or 12" base.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2096. Sunflowers, one variety (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2114. "Season's Greetings" Arrangement of fresh flowers, berries and evergreens not over 30" or 12" base.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2097. Sunflowers, mixed variety (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2115. "Away from Home" Arrangement to honor men and women in military service.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2098. Verbena (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2116. "Jingle Bells" Arrangement for Christmas using bells.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2099. Yarrow (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2117. "Sleigh Ride" Arrangement of fresh material in a sleigh.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2100. Zinnias, one variety (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2118. "First Christmas" Arrangement for a child's first holiday.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2101. Zinnias, mixed (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2119. "Home for the Holidays" Arrangement for a holiday dinner table, candles allowed.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2102. Any Annual not listed above (3) stems, NAMED..	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2120. "Crystal Beauty" Arrangement of flowers and evergreens in a crystal vase.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2103. Any Perennial not listed above (3) stems, NAMED..	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2121. "Christmas Elves" Arrangement using a holiday elf as a vase or accessory.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2104. Bowl or vase of mixed Annuals (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2122. "Country Christmas" Holiday Arrangement using a kitchen utensil as a container or accessory...\$5	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2105. Bowl or vase of mixed Perennials (3) stems.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2123. "Winter Wonderland" Arrangement using a snowman and silver ornaments.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					COLOR ARRANGEMENTS				
					2141. Bowl or vase of Blue Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2142. Bowl or vase of White Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2143. Bowl or vase of Pink Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2144. Bowl or vase of Purple Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2145. Bowl or vase of Yellow Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2146. Bowl or vase of Red Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2147. Bowl or vase of Green Flowers & greens.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2148. BEST OF SHOW ARRANGEMENT				
					(Award limited to 2 years).....\$10.....Rosette Award by judges				
					BASKETS				
					2149. Basket of Mixed Perennials.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2150. Basket of Mixed Annuals.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2151. Basket of one variety of flowers.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2152. Hanging basket of mixed annuals not to exceed 24" in diameter.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2153. Hanging basket of mixed flowers and foliage not to exceed 24" in diameter.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					POTTED DISPLAYS				
					2154. Best Display of Coleus plants, not less than 6 varieties, but no more than 12.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2155. Best Display of unusual Cacti and Succulents, not less than 6 varieties, but no more than 12....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2156. Best Display of Hostas, 6 or more, growing in a single container.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2157. Best Display of Impatiens, 6 or more plants in a single container.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2158. Potted Geraniums, any variety 24" height limit...\$5	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2159. Fairy Garden 12-24" diameter (must have live plants or moss).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2160. Butterfly Planter, 12-24" diameter.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
					2161. Best house plant 24" height limit.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1

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2162. Best Display of Tuberous Begonias	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	SALUTE TO DAYLILIES				
HERBS					2177. Small Flower (under 3-1/2 inches) (3 stems) ..	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2163. Potted specimen of an herb, named.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2178. Eyed Flower (any color with contrasting				
2164. Collection of herbs, 4 or more, growing in					eye of another color) (3 stems)	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
a single container – (each named).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2179. Arrangement of Daylily flowers and				
WREATHS					foliage only (Max. 6 stems)	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2165. Wreath of fresh evergreens, pine cones					2180. Large flower (5" or larger) (3 stems).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
and berries	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	SALUTE TO HOSTAS				
2166. Wreath of grape vines and dried material	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2181. Green Leaf (1 small 5" or less in length) 1 Leaf .	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
SALUTE TO GLADIOLUS					2182. Green Leaf (6-8" in length) 1 Leaf.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
<i>The stem length below lowest floret, in all single and three-spike classes, should not exceed 20".</i>									
2167. Best single spike, regular size Gladiolus,					2183. Green Leaf (1 large 9" or greater in length 1 Leaf..	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
any color.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2184. Blue Leaf (1 small 5" or less in length) 1 Leaf ...	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2168. Best single spike of miniature Gladiolus.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2185. Blue Leaf (6-8" in length) 1 Leaf.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2169. Best 3 spikes, regular size Gladiolus,					2186. Variegated White Outside Leaf (5" or less) 1 Leaf	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
one variety (in one container).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2187. Variegated Leaf (5" or less) 1 Leaf not White	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2170. Best 3 spikes miniature Gladiolus (in 1 container) .	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2188. Variegated White Inside Leaf, 1 Leaf	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2171. Best 6 spikes of mixed varieties (in separate					2189. Variegated Leaf (1 Leaf) Not White	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
containers that stand stable).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2190. Yellow or Gold Leaf (1 Leaf).....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2172. Tallest correctly blooming spike.....	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	2191. Best Arrangement of Hosta flowers and				
2173. Best arrangement of Gladiolus	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1	leaves (No material other than Hosta leaves				
2174. Basket of mixed Gladiolus.....	\$10	\$6	\$4	\$2	and flowers)	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1
2175. Basket of one variety of Gladiolus	\$10	\$6	\$4	\$2	2192. Miniature Arrangement of Hosta Flowers and				
2176. CHAMPION GLADIOLUS	\$10	Rosette			Leaves (3" or less)	\$5	\$3	\$2	\$1

Award by judges

2023 Antique Tractor Display & Antique Gas Engine Display

Feature tractor this year: Minneapolis Moline

For more information contact:

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Come see all the antique tractors on display - Daily - on the fairgrounds County Line Road!

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Tractor parade will be held Wednesday, Aug. 9th at 5:00 pm in front of the Grandstand!



All antique tractor displays are required to stay until 4:00 pm on Sunday, August 13th.

